"Another function in which an improvement has been sought and obtained is in "We were able to show to Congress last year that this function could be performed better by the municipality directly than through the agency of a

contractor. This is true for several "First, the municipality saves the contractor's profit. In the second place, the large inspection force that was required to see that the contractor did his duty can be employed to replace most of those whom the contractor was required to employ to superintend his own The third reason is that the contractor, when he bids upon work to be carried on during a limited period of time, was obliged to write off his plant and organization cost against the work of a few years, which might be all that

he would have. "We have now accumulated a proper plant for street cleaning and have been cleaning the streets for several months on a standard somewhat higher than that obtaining under the contract system. The economies already are obvious. Next year we shall ask for nearly \$10,000 less than we received for this year and less than received the year before, and it is apparent to us that we can raise the

standard during the next year even above the improved standard now obtaining. Thus it appears that we have succeeded in introducing permanent improvement in the carrying on of each of the

the standard of each and diminished the Water Meters Held Essential.

three functions enumerated, having raised

"The next function to be taken up and put upon a businesslike basis will that of the water department. "As a result of the slight increase in rates proposed we will be able to install meters, a proceeding which is essential to a businesslike administration of the department. The installation of the meters will mean a gain for water users, and, moreover, through resulting economies in consumption, we shall postpone for many years the construction of a new aqueduct at a cost of millions of dollars. "The Commissioners regard as an important function committed to their care the acquisition in the near future, before building operations and advancing values have made the task difficult, if not impossible to accomplish, of lands needed for park purposes as determined by the McMillan park commission.

of park projects. 'If the community will get behind the efforts of the Commissioners to obtain park lands from year to year, as rapidly as funds permit, it will be surprising how soon all of the needed lands will be obtained, and those people will be provided with parks who may now resent the fact that their particular projects are "All citizens must know that all the

The Commissioners will, therefore

parks cannot be obtained the first year, nor yet the second, while some must wait | Montana Statesman Was for Years until the fourth and fifth years. "And, furthermore, the citizens must learn that if they express resentment because their particular projects are not to be acquired at once they will lands, and this will make more remote or finally prevent altogether the execution of their own projects. "If there is any matter in which the

LIEUT. SMITH NO LONGER ON ROLLS OF NAVY

citizens should be united it is this

must necessarily be progressive."

Charged With Unbecoming Conduct, Resigns at Commander's Request.

Rear Admiral Nicholson, chief of the bureau of navigation, who is acting secretary of the navy in the absence of Secretary Meyer and Assistant Secretary Winthrop, today accepted the resignation of Lieut. Roy C. Smith, to take effect on his arrival at his home in Michigan. Lieut. Smith resigned at the request of Rear Admiral Murdoch, commanding the Asiatic fleet. He formerly was in command of the gunboat Villalobos, attached

Placed Under Charges.

Charges of unbecoming conduct were recently made against Lieut. Smith and were investigated by a naval court of inquiry. At the conclusion of the investi- Joseph A. Foley of Baltimore and the gation Lieut. Smith was persuaded by his brother officers to resign rather than cause a naval scandal that might result from his trial by court-martial.

He was sent home on the Japanese steamer Shinyo Maru and arrived at San Francisco Saturday. There he was met by an officer representing the Navy Department and informed that unless he stood by his resignation he would be sent back to the Asiatic station under arrest for trial by court-martial. Thereupon he announced that he would quit the navai

Makes a Statement.

Lieut. Smith is quoted as having said: "I do not wish to be disrespectful, but I think that Rear Admiral Murdock was somewhat prejudiced and would not take my word as a gentleman. Neither would my brother officers. I am going to quit the navy and go into sometning else." Smith admitted that if he had not carried out his promise to resign from the service he would have been piaced under arrest and sent back to the orient to face a trial by court-martial. He denied his guilt vigorously.

Officials Reticent.

The Navy Department officials do not care to discuss the case and do not hesitate to express their regret that it has obtained publicity. However, they admit that the officer's resignation has been accepted. It was decided to permit the of-ficer to reach his home before his connection with the government is terminated in order that he may draw his

HAD BAD COMPANIONS.

Reasons Assigned by Le Roy Cowne for Rifling Mail Belonging to Employers.

Le Roy Cowne, sixteen years old, who gave his address as 347 I street southwest, was arrested by detectives today, passed away. charged with taking money from the mail of a department store where he was by the sudden death of ner husband, and employed. He admitted several thefts to all day yesterday was under the care of the police, it is said, and blamed bad com- friends who called to tender condolpanions and a love for the game of ences.

"craps." The boy said he had worked for the department store for six months and had opened fifteen or twenty letters addressed to the firm. He said he had taken about \$15. It was his business to collect the mail for the store from the post office.

Investigation Leads to Arrest.

were notified that letters containing money addressed to the store were found missing. Post Office Inspector Barclay, with Detectives O'Dea and Evans of police headquarters, started an investigation of the board of lice headquarters, started an investigation at St. Louis and the property of Harry H. Maudlin at the property of the proper tion, which led to the arrest of Cowne. When taken to police headquarters the boy at first denied that he took the money from the letters, but later admitted he When asked why, Cowne said: "I got into bad company and have been shooting

He was sent to the house of detention and will be given a hearing before Judge De Lacy tomorrow afternoon in the Ju-

SCENES ATTENDING OPENING OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.







Ex-Senator to Be Laid at Rest in Mount Olivet.

present each year to Congress a number PLANS FOR THE FUNERAL

Solemn Requiem Mass Will Be Said Tomorrow Morning.

not included among those of the first ILLNESS OF BRIEF DURATION

Prominent Figure in Nation's Public Life.



SENATOR THOMAS H. CARTER.

The funeral of ex-Senator Thomas H. Carter of Montana, who died early yesterday morning, will be held at St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, when solemn requiem mass will be said by the Rev. Thomas A. Walsh, assisted by the Rev. Rev. Joseph Mallon of Westminster. Burial will be private at Mount Olivet

cemetery. The honorary pallbearers will be Chief Justice White, Associate Justice Mc-Kenna, James A. Tawney, Frank S. Streeter, Senators Crane, Penrose and Brandegee, former Senator William E. Chanler, Hannis Taylor and Attorney General A. G. Galen of Montana. clock yesterday morning at his residence in this city, 1628 16th street north-

west, after a very brief illness. Death friend of our race." was due to infraction of the lungs, caused by a blood clot. His wife and his two sons, together with his physician, Dr. Harry P. Parker, were with him when

Mr. Carter, who had spent the summer, with his family, on the coast of Maine. returned about two weeks ago to take up his duties as chairman of the American section of the international joint commission to settle boundary and wa-

Taken Ill a Week Ago.

feeling ill and remained at his home. ing party five days later at a nearby His indisposition was not regarded as railroad station. They had been left serious, although his physician did not later at Gibraltar. Their story was LOVED GAME OF CRAPS mained with him during the evening. ple were in time. minutes of his death he was conscious and discussing plans for the future. About five minutes before he died he said result of the conclusions reached by that It was found, however, that the clerks he felt drowsy and would take a little nap. Dr. Parker acquiesced and reached out to take the patient's pulse, which he found to be fluttering weakly. Despite heroic restorative measures, which were Mrs. Carter was completely prostrated

Leader in Republican Party. The death of Mr. Carter removes from

public life a notable figure. He had been prominent in the public service and 18.-A posse of heavily armed farmers than the amount which the clerks will in the republican party for many years, this morning cornered Anthony Sabino, a He was first a delegate in Congress from foreigner, believed to be insane and acthe territory of Montana, and when it cused of at least one murder, in a patch The Post Office Department officials was admitted to statehood was the first of woods near here A circle of a mile in Louisiana exposition at St. Louis and on the property of Harry H. Maudlin, a since last March had been chairman of wealthy farmer, refused to obey a comthe newly created international joint mand to leave and with a shotgun killed

publican national committee in the sec- Stamford and had shot a man with whom and campaign of Benjamin Harrison for he was talking. Immediately after this the presidency. He was secretary of he fled. Frequently since he has been the republican congressional campaign seen wandering in the woods, carrying committee in 1890 and he had been over one shoulder a long-barreled shotspoken of as the possible chairman of the gun.

out against insurgency and was a stanch advocate of the President's policies while he was in the Senate. Native of Ohio.

Mr. Carter was born in Scioto county, Ohio, in 1854, of Irish ancestry, and as a young man worked with his father on their farm. In 1875 he went to Burlington, Iowa, and studied law. In 1882 he went to Helena, Mont., and imme diately entered politics. His first term in the United States Senate began in 1895, and he held his seat while the republicans controlled the state. He had been a prominent figure in every republican national convention in the last twenty-five years. He was held in high esteem by Presidents Harrison, McKiney Roosevelt and Taft.

One of the most conspicuous acts of his senatorial service was the defeat of a \$50,000,000 river and harbor bill during the closing hours of the Congress some years ago. He regarded the bill as a grab," and talked continuously for sixteen hours against the measure, desisting only as the time for adjournment arrived and it was seen that the bill could not réceive consideration by the Senate. Mr. Carter's personality was attractive his disposition kindly and he possesse a keen sense of humor. He was one of the most popular men in public life, and numbered his friends in every branch of the public service and among politicians and leaders all over the country.

Telegrams of Condolence.

Telegrams of condolence have been received by Mrs. Carter from President Taft and many other distinguished men. The President's telegram was as fol-

"Detroit, Mich., September 18, 1911. "I am greatly shocked and grieved to learn of the death of Senator Carter. He was apparently in robust health when he dined with me in Washington late in August. For more than twenty years we have been warm and intimate friends. and I know his great ability, his patriotism and loyalty. I tender to you and your family in your deep sorrow and irretrievable loss my profoundest sympathy. "W. H. TAFT."

Senator Carter was an active member of Helena Council, Knights of Columbus, and, at the request of Mrs. Carter. Washington knights are keeping vigil at night at the bier of their deceased brother. Those who kept watch last night were George A. Repetti of Washington Coun-cil, Charles W. Darr of Keane Council, leorge A. McAvoy of Spalding Council, P. J. Haltigan of Carroll Council and Charles J. Columbus of Potomac Council. Telegrams have been received in Washington from various councils of the order in the state of Montana requesting that the highest honors be shown the

RESOLUTIONS BY A. O. H.

Action Taken on Death of Ex-Senator Carter.

News of the death of former Senator Carter was received with sorrow at a meeting of Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, yesterday afternoon in Eagles' Hall. The following resolution was adopted:

"The members of Division No. 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians, learn with the deepest sorrow of the death in this city today of Thomas Henry Carter, one of he most distinguished public men of this Former Senator Carter died at 2:45 generation and a Catholic in whom the members of our race in America took the greatest pride in pointing to as an exemplary Christian, statesman and As a further mark of respect the division adjourned.

MIDSHIPMEN DROPPED.

Left Their Ship Without Leave While on Practice Cruise.

Midshipmen Gaston L. Holmes of Mississippi and Charles L. Clifford of Massachusetts of the second class, Naval terways disputes with Canada. The head- Academy, were dropped from the naval quarters of the commission is in this service today in accordance with orders city, and Mr. Carter was arranging the issued by the Secretary of the Navy. preliminaries for the first meeting of the These young men were, with their felcommission, to be held some time this low-students, on the recent cruise of the Naval Academy practice squadron to European waters. They disappeared Congress a number of bills providing pected the commission will be ready to

About a week ago he complained of gust 20, and were located by a search- for the clerks. behind by the squadron, and joined it ple were unable to find their way back

Mr. Winthrop was influenced in his ac-

CORNERED IN WOODS.

Farmers Resolve to Starve Out Man Accused of Murder. SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., September

commission for settling boundary disputes the owner of the place. Several days bewith Canada.

Mr. Carter was chairman of the recidal mania while near his home in

republican national committee for the campaign of 1912. Mr. Carter was a stalwart republican and was a great admirer of President Taft. He was conspicuous in standing Taft.

Campaign Planned by Committee of One Hundred.

POPULAR IN THE COUNTRY

Many Letters Received Supporting the Movement.

AT WORK ON PUBLIC OPINION

Efforts to Get the Cabinet to Indorse and Congress to Authorize Pensions and Increased Pay.

A strong effort to have all the cabinet RIX officers include in their annual reports recommendations for the increased pay of the government clerks and pensions to permit the retirement of superannuated employes will be made by the committee of 100, which is planning a campaign which, it is hoped, will result in better conditions for the civil service employes of the government before the adjournment of the next session of Congress.

Members of the cabinet are already on record in favor of paying the clerks better salaries and providing a system of pensions, permitting the retirement of ship to the employed.

Anxious for Cabinet Support.

But members of the committee feel that the coming winter will see a crisis in the fight for the improved conditions desired for the clerks, and they are anxious to have the support of the President's advisers. President Taft has already shown himself in favor of such a plan to better the clerks' positions.

With the exception of Postmaster General Hitchcock, all the members of the cabinet are out of the city at present. Mr. Hitchcock has already expressed himself several times in the last year as strongly favoring better pay for the clerks and a retirement system. Secretary of War Stimson and Secretary Fisher of the Department of the Interior, the new members of the cabinet, have yet to make their position known on the proposition. but it is believed that like their colleagues in the cabinet, they will advise an increase in pay for the clerks and a

P. B. Chase, chairman of the commit tee of one hundred, is expected to return to Washington in a few days, and it is the committee early in October, when still further plans will be made in the interests of the clerks.

Letters Supporting Movement. Former Senator Charles Dick of Ohio. the managing director of the work of the committee, has sent out letters to many prominent citizens in every state and large city in the Union urging that they give their assistance in influencing public opinion, and, through it, members of

No Particular Bill Favored.

It was explained today that the committee does not intend to urge Congress to enact into law any one bill. In other words, there will be no committee bill, but the committee will advocate the legislation desired from the viewpoint that Congress itself must settle the details of the law. The committee stands for the broad principles involved. There is at present before recess until 3 o'clock, when it is exfrom their ship at Bergen, Norway, Au. for a retirement system and better pay

The Contributory Plan.

The belief is gaining ground that like the way Mr. Carter's heart was act- that they had gone on an excursion to Congress will decide upon a retirement ing. Saturday afternoon his condition ignorance of the language of the peo-No one expected the fatal termination of Both young men were charged with work well in England, where for a number sane at Marion, Va. The indictment will his illness, however, and within fifteen absence without leave. An investigation of years it has been in use. England forof their conduct was made by a board merly had a system of retirement for its of officers convened by Commander civil employes which provided for pay- from the asylum at Staunton. He was Coontz, commanding the squadron. As a ment of the pensions by the government. board Acting Secretary Winthrop, who reviewed the cases, directed that the two midshipmen be dropped from the When the government. When the government paid all the pen-Naval Academy. It is intimated that sions the clerks considered that the pensions were in effect deferred pay, and administered immediately, the distintion more by the unsatisfactory character as only about one clerk in every seven administered immediately, the distin- tion more by the distinations made by Mid- as only about one clerk in every seven guished patient did not rally and at 2:45 ter of the explanations made by Mid- was in the service long enough to obshipmen Holmes and Clifford than by tain the pensions, six out of every seven their unauthorized absence from their never received this deferred pay. If the contributory plan is adopted by

Congress it is believed that the pay of the government clerks will be increased. The fact that the clerks must turn back part of their present salaries to the government will appeal to members of Congress as good ground for increasing the pay of the clerks, it is said. The increase, it is believed, will be greater, once Congress determines to make an increase, be asked to contribute to the pension fund.

AMBASSADOR'S SON WEDS.

J. G. A. Leishman, Jr., Marries Miss Demarest in Italy. MILAN, Italy, September 18 .- John G.

A. Leishman, jr., son of the American ambassador, and Miss Helene G. Demarest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Demarest of New York, were married today at the Episcopal Church

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where else than from this first day of instruction in the normal schools. School enrollment figures will begin to superintendents this afternoon. None had been heard from this morning except in a general way. One of the features of the enrollment seemed to be that the colored graded schools would show a marked increase. Assistant Superintendent Bruce said this was a significant fact, showing that colored boys and girls are going in for a more prolonged education. Armstrong Manual Training School's new addition is not ready, but when it is opened this fall it will take care of an increased enrollment. M Street High School is crowded again, and there is a serious problem there as to what to do with the already overtaxed classroom Dr. Davidson will meet the white teachers at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in

teachers, will be in his audience.

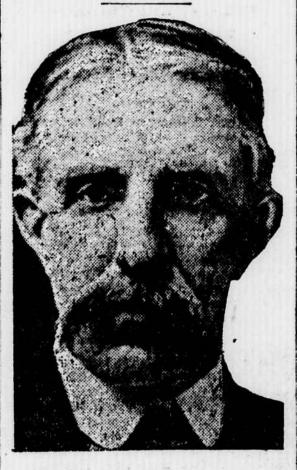
the Central High School. The normal

school girls, who are now considered

Indicted Banker Before Lunacy Board at Alexandia.

MAY ESCAPE COURT TRIAL

faithful clerks without working hard- Action Taken When Defendant Was Called for Trial on Criminal Charges.



C. J. RIXEY.

Special Dispatch to The Star. ALEXANDRIA, Va., September 18 .-When the case of C. Jones Rixey, the Congress, for the increased pay of the indicted head of the defunct Virginia government clerks. Already many favor- Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, able replies have been received by Senawas called in the corporation court at noon today Judge L C. Barley appointed a lunacy commission consisting of Dr. J. S. De Jarnette, the superintendent of the Western State Hospital for the Insane at Staunton, Va., and Dr. W. F. Drury of the Central State Hospital for the Insane at Petersburg, Va., to examine into Rixey's sanity.

The commission at once retired and commenced examining witnesses. Shortly afterward the court took

Probable Findings.

The opinion prevails that the commis sion will find that Rixey is insane, and in that event it is more than probable sent to the asylum for the criminal instill stand. Rixey arrived here shortly before noon

accompanied by Dr. De Jarnette, the superintendent. Shortly after he appeared in court he retired to the jury room, where the commission began the examination. Among the physicians who have been summoned to testify are Dr. Braisted and Dr. Newman of Washington and Dr. Scott and Dr. Crittenton of Orange, Va. Rixey Evinces No Concern.

Rixew appeared worn and haggard, and

had to be assisted up the steps of the courthouse. He was apparently the most disinterested person in the courtroom during the proceedings, manifesting no concern in what was going on about him. Rixey's attorneys present included John L. Jeffreys of Norfolk, Va.; James R. Caton & Son, Alexandria, Va.; John F. Barbour, Fairfax, Va.; J. E. Hiden of Culpeper, and C. J. Rixey, jr., of Wash-A lunacy commission sitting at Grange. ington. Va., September 9 declared Rixey insane. and since that time he has been a patient at the Western State Hospital for the Insane at Staunton.

Beer Sold in Paper Boxes. NEW YORK, September 18.-Beer in square paper boxes like those used for

oysters, ice cream and sauerkraut is the latest market innovation for the benefit at Cadenabbia, on Lake Como, where the of fastidious New Yorkers. The box

FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

come in from the principals and division Collector Rogers Takes Horse and Wagon Belonging to Groceryman.

Charles C. Rogers, collector of taxes for the District, this morning began his long-threatened campaign to seize the property of delinquent personal taxpayers. The first victim on whom the heavy arm of the law fell was August Schmidt, a grocer, at 400 W street northwest. Mr. Rogers took charge of the groceryman's horse and delivery wagon. So often has the collector threatened

to call with a moving van on various delinquents that he had come to the conclusion his announcements were being re-He came down to his office this morning provided with a police badge and de-Collector Rogers began by getting in touch with the groceryman's establishment over the telephone. He was told that Mr. Schmidt was not in and was

asked to grant an extension of time. Takes Wagon Away.

Instead of acceding to the request Mr Rogers called at the establishment, took charge of the horse and delivery wagon and drove it to a stable near the Dis-

Under the law the owner may recover the property any time within ten days, by paying the amount of taxes due, with interest at 1 per cent a month from June 1, together with costs, or the property will be sold to satisfy the debt to the Mr. Rogers today said that there is a large amount of unpaid taxes owing the

District and that he intends to enforce the property of delinquents. Members of his office force have been provided with police badges, and it is expected that other seizures will be made

FOUND DEAD MAN AT DOOR.

Shot at Burglars in Night, But Did Not Know of Casualty. Special Dispatch to The Star.

ROCKVILL., Md., September 18 .-When Richard Thomas and his family arose yesterday morning they found just outside their door the dead body of a negro named William Henry, twenty-six years old, from Philadelphia, who had come to Spencerville to attend the come to Spencerville to attend the Mr. Madison's two daughters are in funeral of his father-in-law. He had Washington, D. C. No steps toward the been shot through the head, the bullet entering his eye. Thomas was aroused from his sleep by the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation comthe attempts of three negroes to enter his house. Taking his gun, he fired through the door. As the shot seemed to have scared the intruders off, Thomas of his family investigated the matter

The Thomases live near Spencerville, and Richard Thomas is a respected citizen of the county. This morning Justice of the Peace Margerum, acting as coroner, held an inquest, at which Thomas was exonerated. An investigation is being prosecuted to ascertain who Henry's companions were the night he was killed.

with the result stated.

UNCLE SAM TAKES VIEWS.

Toving Pictures of Road Making for Edification of Public. Several moving pictures, designed for

use in educating the public throughout the country in the treatment of macadam roads, were taken at the west end of Bradley lane today by photographers from the division of public roads, Department of Agriculture. M. O. Eldridge was in charge of the work. The pictures were taken of various

phases in preparing the road. It will show the men brushing the leaves and trash from the road previous to the application of the bituminous matter used for the surface and will then show the application of this treatment. Another picture was taken of the steam roller at work. Other pictures will be taken of the

DRIVER IS ACCUSED.

Charged With Embezzling Collections for Schlitz Brewing Co. Charged with embezzling about \$780 F. Kenney, a driver for that company,

Evans and O'Dea. The arrest was made on complaint of E. A. Neill, manager for the brewing just fairly started. company in this city. It is alleged Kenney collected the money from customers turns to the company. Kenney denies an "insurgent," Mr. Madison never hesiof the brewery and failed to make the re-

RITES FOR HERMAN GASCH. Long-Time Resident of District Wil

Be Buried Tomorrow at Glenwood. Funeral services for Herman Gasch, a long-time resident of this city, who died vesterday, will be held tomorrow afterof Baltimore will officiate. Interment will be at Glenwood.

in 1850. Until twenty years ago he was in the tobacco business. He was president of the German-American Insurance Company of this city at the time of his death. Two sons, Herman E. and Arthur E. Gasch, and two daughters, Mrs. Charles her daughter have been occupying their will collapse.

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STRICKEN AT TABLE

Representative E. H. Madison of Kansas Dies.

At Breakfast When Fatal Heart At-

tack Ends Career.

FALLS IN WIFE'S ARMS

PRESIDENT SHOCKED AT NEWS

Was to Have Been His Guest Next erty. Week-Active in Ballinger-Pinchot Row.



EDMOND H. MADISON.

DODGE CITY, Kan., September 18.— a recognition of the unions would result Edmond H. Madison, representative in a chaos that would be followed by

while eating breakfast with his wife.

Death was almost instantaneous. Following the attack he was unable to speak. He died in the arms of his wife. funeral arrangements will be taken be-Mr. Madison September 7, 1910, while mittee was in session in Minneapolis, voted with the democratic members in favor of a resolution providing for the removal of Secretary Ballinger from of-

Senator Duncan W. Fletcher of Florida Secretary of the Interior was an unfaithful public servant and should be re-

Madison Accepted Amendment. Representative Madison submitted substitute resolution declaring that the charges made by Gifford Pinchot and Louis Glavis, an ex-chief of the field divisoin of the land office, had been sustained.

fice. Mr. Madison accepted the amend- dent Truesdale of the Lackawanna ment and the democratic members of the ment and the democratic members of the committee and Representative Madison road. His purpose is to have Mr. Truesdale consider the discharge of voted for it. Senator Nelson of Minnesota, chairman Foreman M. J. Foley separate from the of the committee, put the question and wage issue. Foley was dismissed, offivoted on it, but declared that there was no quorum present. The republican members held the vote was not valid be-

Representative James of Kentucky of-

cause the full committee was not pres-Representative Madison and the democrats opposed this view, and charged that

Taft Shocked at News.

death of Representative Madison. He of the forty employed in the division, was to have been a guest of the repre- which extends from Buffalo to Bath, had sentative during his visit to Kansas next obeyed the order of A. B. Lowe, president of the Maintenance of Way's Emclared that Judge Madison was in a large degree responsible for the inauguration of the present tour across the continent. The President had promised Judge from the Schlitz Brewing Company, John Madison more than a year ago to visit Kansas during the semi-centennial of the state and to attend the celebration residing at 1814 5th street northwest, was at Hutchinson. This was one of the arrested this afternoon by Detectives fixed engagements made for this fall, and around it grew up the six weeks' Luke McHenry, Formerly of This itinerary upon which the President has President Taft regarded Judge Madison as one of the ablest men in the House of Representatives. Classed as 18.-Luke McHenry, clerk of the New York state legislature, is dead at a sanitated to support the President on any measure which he deemed a proper one,

Born in Plymouth, Ill. Edmond H. Madison was born at Ply-

White House.

mouth, Ill., December 18, 1865. He recelved his education in the public schools bought the Madison County Times, a of that state, becoming a school teacher democratic paper. Later he acquired the at the age of eighteen. In 1885 he moved Oneida Democratic Union. He was at one to Wichita, Kan., where he began the time president of the New York State 14th street northwest. Rev. Mr. Hussey Jones. He was admitted to practice in the Democratic Editorial Association.

14th street northwest. Rev. Mr. Hussey Jones. He was admitted to practice in the Democratic Editorial Association. the position of county attorney for Ford Mr. Gasch, who was in the eighty-fifth county, Kan., in which position he served year of his age, came here from Germany two terms. January 1, 1900, he was appointed judge of the thirty-first judicial district of Kansas. He held this position until September 17, 1903, when he resigned to become a candidate for Congress. He was elected to the Sixtleth, Sixty-first and Sixty-second Congresses, A. Kolb and Mrs. J. A. Maedel, survive and was a member of the committee on

SPAIN FACES PERIL Revolutionary Party Back of

Labor Disturbances.

MARTIAL LAW PROCLAIMED

Government May Suspend All Constitutional Guarantees.

IRISH RAILROADS CRIPPLED

Traffic on Three Great Systems Demoralized by Strike-Unions

Are Denounced. MADRID. September 18 .-- A general strike, which has behind it revolutionary support, has broken out at Valen-

cia, a maritime city of Spain, 190 miles southeast of Madrid. Martial law has been proclaimed and the streets are occupied by troops. The telegraph wires out of Valencia have been cut. Just before communi-

cation with the city was broken off it was reported that serious disturbances

The population of Valencia is about The government is considering a sus-

pension of constitutional guarantees throughout Spain should the situation. resulting from the many workingmen's strikes, become more serious.

Strikes at Many Points.

Strikes are general at Bilbao and Saragossa and partially successful at Cadiz, Huelva, Valencia, Seville and Gijon. It is expected that the workmen will go out at Barcelona, Corunna and Ferrel, and that the movement will become general in the cities. A general suspension of work at Valencia and Gijon will be accomplished by the leaders soon, it is believed.

The ministry of the interior states that the Barcelona police have discovered a revolutionary plot directed by Spanish and foreign anarchists and a certain political group whose methods provide for general strikes and violence against prop-

Irish Strike Spreads.

DUBLIN, September 18.-The general strike declared last night on the Great Southern and Western railroad is spread-Southern, the Midland Great Western and the Great Northern. All were affected today, and the services generally were demoralized.

Some of the main line trains were being operated in charge of apprentices and clerks. The strikers huried stones at the trains and tried to shoot a signalman who re-

fused to leave his box. A general meeting of the railroad men has been called here tonight to decide whether to declare a national strike. A special meeting of the executives of the Amalgamated Society of Railway Sevants will be held here tomorrow to deal

Says Unions Broke Faith. LONDON, September 18.-Lord Claude Hamilton, chairman of the Great Eastern railway for the past eighteen years, was the principal witness today before the railway commission which is inquiring into the differences between the companies and their employes. He made a sharp attack upon British trades unionism. He asserted that of the Great Eastern staff only 10 per cent belonged to the Amalgamated Society of Railway Serv-ants, whose officials, he declared, de-

pend for their maintenance on creating ill will and indiscipline. The witness expressed the opinion that Congress from the seventh Kansas district, died suddenly at his home here tothe unions realized that a long period of conciliation meant a loss of membership,

MEN OBEY STRIKE ORDER. Trackmen Quit Work on Parts of

the Lackawanna System. SCRANTON, Pa., September 18 .- There was a general response by section men on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad in the vicinity of Scranton to the strike order issued Saturday by introduced a resolution holding that the the national officers of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes. All the men on the Bloomsburg division between Scranton and Kingston are out. The strikers are keeping away from the company's property. No general attempt has been made to

fill the places of strikers.

At the headquarters of the company it was stated that not more than 50 per cent of the trackmen had quit work. A. B. Lowe, president of the trackmen's union, has gone to New York to fered an amendment providing for the removal of Secretary Ballinger from of- have a further conference with Presicials say, for overstaying a leave of absence. Foley, who was chairman of a committee that asked for an increase in wages, claims that he had an indefinite leave, and that he was dismissed for his activity in the union.

The company refused to re-employ him and the strike followed a futile attempt

the republican members were purposely and the strike followed a futile attempt delaying action on the Ballinger-Pinchot on the part of the men to obtain arbitra-BUFFALO, September 18-At the office of the roadmaster of the Buffalo divi-PONTIAC, Mich., September 18.—Presi- sion of the Delaware, Lackawanna and stated this morning that but twelve gangs ployes Union, issued at Scranton Saturday, to discontinue work at 6 o'clock Saturday evening because of the declina-

NOTED EDITOR IS DEAD.

tion of the company to arbitrate certain

City, Succumbs in a Sanitarium. CLIFTON SPRINGS, N. Y., September

tarium here. He was born forty-nine and was a frequent caller at the years ago in Maryland. He went west for a time in his youth, but returned to Maryland and was Washington correspondent for the Baltimore Sun. After becoming interested in politics he moved to Chittenango, N. Y., where he

Death as Result of Feud.

READING, Pa., September 18 .- Following a series of altercations lasting over a year, Charles K. Reich, a well known farmer, was shot at his home in Cumru township, near here, today by his neighbor, L. X. Shonour. The wounded